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For: **Microgel And External Compositions Containing The Same**

**SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
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Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in the above-referenced pending U.S. Patent Application, in response to the Notice of Missing Parts:

1. 371 Formalities Letter.
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by the Applicants on October 25, 1994.
3. The surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.492(e) in the amount of \$130.00 was previously paid.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1424. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Having now complied with all requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, Applicants respectfully request that this application be placed upon the files for examination.

Respectfully submitted,



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- U.S. Basic National Fees
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- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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